

**Table Dainties from Sunny Climes**

**Libby's** California Asparagus and Hawaiian Pineapple

From tropical Hawaii, home of the sweetest, most luscious pineapple, comes the one; and California, where the tenderest asparagus grows, supplies the other. The Libby care and cleanliness back of both is a warrant of a product that will please you.

*Insist on Libby's at your grocer's.*

**Libby, McNeill & Libby, Chicago**

**Working Up to It.**

"What's the matter, Adolphus? Why, you look nervous and you can't keep still."

"You notice it, do you? Fine! Fine! I'm smoking 100 cigarettes a day, drinking about twenty cups of strong coffee, not to mention all the other things."

"But what's the idea?"

"Don't interrupt me, old fellow. I'm just on the verge of inventing a new dance."—Life.

**Whenever You Need a General Tonic**

The Old Standard Grove's Tasteless Tonic is equally valuable as a General Tonic because it contains the well known tonic properties of QUININE and IRON. It acts on the Liver, Drives out Malaria, Enriches the Blood and Builds up the Whole System. 50 cents.—Adv.

**Horrors of War.**

"War changes many things. They say the Napoleonic wars reduced the stature of men several inches."

"Yes, and it looks like the troops in this war are going to get the habit of talking their various languages with a cockney accent."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**WOMAN'S CROWNING GLORY**

is her hair. If yours is streaked with gray, grizzly, gray hairs, use "La Creole" Hair Dressing and change it in the natural way. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

**Ordeal of Courtesy.**

"Politeness costs nothing," remarked the ready-made philosopher.

"That's not always true," replied Miss Cayenne. "I have seen it cost people a terrible struggle."

**Not Gray Hairs but Tired Eyes**

make us look older than we are. Keep your eyes young and you will look young. After the Movies always Murine Your Eyes. Don't tell your age.

**His Idea.**

"What makes that orator walk across the stage several times before he begins to speak?"

"I guess that is a pre-amble to his remarks."

**SOAP IS STRONGLY ALKALINE**

and constant use will burn out the scalp. Cleanse the scalp by shampooing with "La Creole" Hair Dressing, and darken, in the natural way, those ugly, grizzly hairs. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

**Placed to His Account.**

"Does she trust her husband?"

"I guess so. Everything that goes wrong she charges up to him."

She cares not who makes the money if she is allowed to spend it.

**Competitive Yearning.**

"Catch any fish while you were away last summer?"

"Yes. Had some wonderful fishing."

"Aren't you going to tell us about it?"

"No. When you tell a fish story you merely invite someone to open up and tell a bigger one. I had such wonderful fishing that I want to go on thinking about it as about the best that ever happened."

**SUFFERED FOR FOUR YEARS.**

Mr. J. M. Sinclair of Olivehill, Tenn., writes: "I strained my back, which weakened my kidneys and caused an awful bad backache and inflammation of the bladder. Later I became so much worse that I consulted a doctor, who said that I had diabetes and that my heart was affected. I suffered for four years and was in a nervous state and very much depressed. The doctor's medicine didn't help me, so I decided to try Dodds Kidney Pills, and I cannot say enough to express my relief and thankfulness, as they cured me. Diamond Dinner Pills cured me of Constipation."

**Might Destroy Confidence.**

"I want to see your beauty editor," said the caller at the sanctum of a popular magazine.

"Are you following her advice?"

"I am."

"Got confidence in it?"

"I have."

"Then you don't want to see her."—Louisville Courier-Journal.

**IMITATION IS SINCEREST FLATTERY**

but like counterfeit money the imitation has not the worth of the original. Insist on "La Creole" Hair Dressing—its the original. Darkens your hair in the natural way, but contains no dye. Price \$1.00.—Adv.

**Part of Wisdom.**

"You can't reason with a woman."

"I never try. It's much easier to jolly her."

**Codfish are dried, ground into powder and made into bread in Iceland.**



### BEST DOG FOR SHEEP FLOCK

Rattle-Brained Cur is Much Out of Place—Collie is Most Excellent for Herding Purposes.

The rattle-brained cur is as much out of place in the flock as the man of hasty temper, cruelty, thoughtlessness and disinclination or lack of natural talent for his work. The dog should be born to sheep tending and should be early accustomed to sheep and trained in their care.

Many years ago it was a practice in Texas to take a puppy from its dam before the eyes had opened and place it with a ewe, let her nurse it and allow the puppy to grow up with



Splendid Sheep Dog.

the sheep and be with them night and day. Then the dog would become the natural defender of the flock against all dangers and foes, stay with them all of the time and possess their confidence. It was also stated that a dog so raised would bring in the flock at a given hour, when accustomed to be fed at that time.

Sheep know a strange dog instantly. The dog to work among them must not be strange to the sheep in any way, must have their confidence and command their respect and be able to "boss" them when that becomes necessary. The collie is the dog for such service. Sheep herding has been the work of the breed for generations and to tend sheep is a hereditary tendency in the well-bred collie.

No dog bred and born otherwise is worth raising for work among sheep and it is waste of time to train a wrong dog for such work.—American Sheep Breeder.

### HORSES IN UNITED STATES

According to Estimate of Department of Agriculture There Were 21,195,000 on January 1.

The United States department of agriculture estimates the number of horses in the United States on January 1st of each year, except 1910, when the April census figures are used, as follows: 1910, 19,833,000; 1911, 20,277,000; 1912, 20,509,000; 1913, 20,507,000; 1914, 20,962,000; 1915, 21,195,000.

In spite of automobiles and everything else it can be seen that the horse is gradually gaining in numbers. In spite of the heavy exportation of horses on account of the war, the total amount available is so great that the exports are not materially reducing the supply. It is doubtful also if the war will affect American horse-raising very greatly. In the western fighting everything appears to be trench warfare, where cavalry is of little use and the slaughter of military horses must be moderate, while on the eastern front Russia has millions of horses and would not need to call on America, even if shipments were possible. One of the ways America is hardest hit is in the supply of imported draft stallions.

### VENTILATION FOR THE BARN

All Stables Should Be Fairly Light, Because Horses Need Abundance of Good Fresh Air.

The horse is very susceptible to cold; and the horses that are stabled when not being worked or exercised feel the changes of weather quite as readily as do those enjoying a more free life.

All stables should be fairly lofty, because horses need plenty of fresh air, and this can only be properly given during intense cold when ventilation can be given above the heads of the animals so far as elevation is concerned, the position of the ventilators mattering little so long as they are at a good height and placed with judgment.

The stable should feel cozy upon going in, but not stuffy, otherwise the horses will feel chilly upon coming out.

**Autumn Care of Colts.**

Look out for the weanlings and colts as cold weather approaches. Be sure that they go into winter quarters in the pink of condition, for there is where the profit comes in.

**Keep Sows in Condition.**

It is not wise to allow young sows to become too fat, as they never make as good breeders as those with more development of muscle.

**Most Prolific Sow.**

Select sows from good length litters. The sow that carries good length and depth of body generally proves the most prolific. Quality should not be overlooked, but in the search for quality, do not sacrifice substance, nor select delicate animals.

**Provide Shelter for Pigs.**

Cold, rainy spells may come any day now. You may save trouble with the pigs by providing a well-bedded shelter for them instead of letting them get along as best they can.



### CHEAP MIXTURE FOR VERMIN

Formula Given by Pennsylvania State College—Should Be Kept on Hand the Year Round.

While there are many ready-prepared lice mixtures on the market, none are more effective than a mixture recommended by Pennsylvania State college. It may be made at home and is cheap.

The formula is: Two and one-half pounds of plaster or paris, three-quarters of a pint of gasoline, one-fourth of a pint of crude carbolic acid. When the ingredients are mixed, one will have an effective lice powder that costs less than five cents a pound. The mixture should be worked through a fine sieve, to break up lumps and to get in such form that it will sift readily.

When it is first mixed it will be too wet to sift, but the gasoline will soon evaporate. The active principle in driving away the lice is the carbolic acid. To use the homemade preparation, which should be kept on hand the year around, one sits it over the birds the same as any other lice powder.

### RUNNER EXCELS AS FORAGER

Utility Fowl, Noted for Its Egg Production, Is Often Termed Leghorn of the Duck Family.

The Runner is a breed of small utility duck noted for its egg production and is often termed the Leghorn of the duck family. These ducks have been credited with records of more than 200 eggs each in flocks of ten, and 192 eggs each in flocks of 100.



Young Runner Ducks.

The "Runners" are active in their habits, are good foragers, and on an extensive run are able to find a large proportion of their food. They are nonsitters, are hardy and easily reared, but do not stand confinement well.

Their flesh is of a deep yellow color and is of fine quality, but their small size is rather against them for market purposes, except for broilers.

### PULLETS FOR WINTER LAYERS

Advisable to Select Those That Have Grown Rapidly—Men in Action Needs Lots of Room.

In selecting pullets for this winter's layers, it is advisable to choose those birds that have grown rapidly and well and those that show quality, as indicated by a soft, pliable skin over the breast bone and abdominal cavity. In addition to these two considerations quality is further indicated by the texture of the head parts. The comb and wattles should not only be well developed but should have a nice, smooth, velvety texture. A fourth consideration in selecting the prospective fayer is that of capacity. A hen in action needs lots of room, that is to say, room for the digestive and reproductive organs. Such capacity is indicated by good width between the pelvic bones and also good width between these and the rear end of the keel.

### Prevention Is Main Point.

In the matter of diseases of fowls we should not forget that prevention is the main point. Little things remedied in time will save great losses later.

**Unproductive Hens.**

Half-starved hens are not so productive as fat ones.

**Ration for Chickens.**

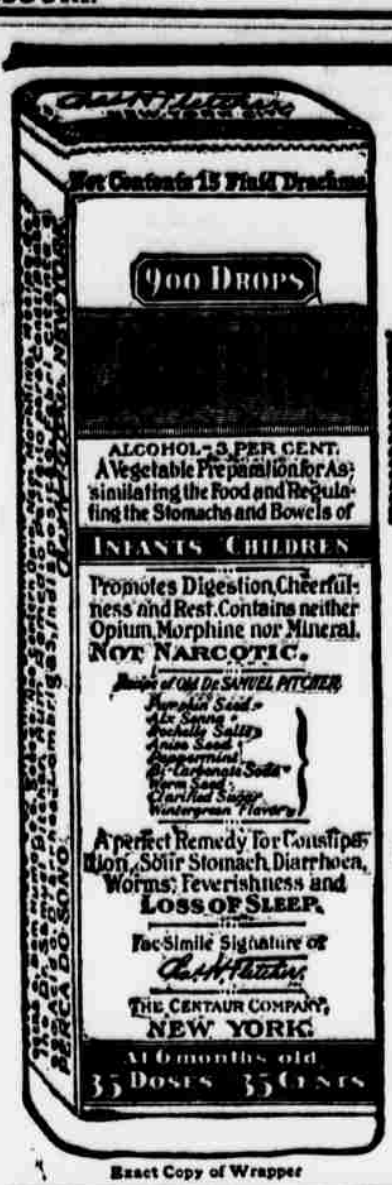
A simple grain mixture in corn, wheat, and oats, a little more corn as the weather gets colder and less during the summer days. A little buckwheat and sunflower seed added to this mixture during fall and winter months is beneficial. Green foods, such as alfalfa, cabbage, sprouted oats or mangels should be fed freely. Fresh green cut bone or beef scraps and charcoal should also be supplied at all seasons of the year.

**Litter for Duck Houses.**

The best litter for duck houses is shavings, although sawdust will serve. Either is better than straw, which quickly becomes damp. It is necessary to have plenty of clean litter in the feeding houses both to keep the floor dry and to protect the eggs, which are not laid in nests, but dropped anywhere the ducks happen to be.

**Gather Eggs Frequently.**

Gather the eggs frequently, especially while the weather is cold. Keep the hens happy and contented.



## Children Cry For

**Fletcher's CASTORIA**

### What is CASTORIA

Castoria is a harmless substitute for Castor Oil, Paregoric, Drops and Soothing Syrups. It is pleasant. It contains neither Opium, Morphine nor other Narcotic substance. Its age is its guarantee. It destroys Worms and allays Feverishness. For more than thirty years it has been in constant use for the relief of Constipation, Flatulency, Wind Colic, all Teething Troubles and Diarrhoea. It regulates the Stomach and Bowels, assimilates the Food, giving healthy and natural sleep. The Children's Panacea—The Mother's Friend.

### GENUINE CASTORIA ALWAYS

Bears the Signature of

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You know what you sell or buy through the sales has about one chance in fifty to escape SPOHN'S SALE DISTEMPER. SPOHN'S is your true protection, your only safeguard, for as sure as you treat all your horses with it, you will secure the rid of the disease. It acts as a sure preventive no matter how they are "exposed." 50 cents and \$1 a bottle; \$2 and \$10 dozen bottles, at all good druggists, horse goods houses, or delivered by the manufacturer.

SPOHN MEDICAL CO., Chemists and Bacteriologists, GOSHEN, IND., U. S. A.

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"Yes, but how much cash did they raise on it?"

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Are Usually Fresh and Clear, Soft and Velvety. Try One.

The Soap to cleanse and purify, the Ointment to soothe and heal. Thus these supercreamy emollients promote and maintain the natural purity and beauty of the skin, scalp, hair and hands under conditions which if neglected might disfigure them.

Sample each free by mail with Book. Address postcard, Cuticura, Dept. X, Boston. Sold everywhere.—Adv.

**The Right One.**

"The fates are supposed to embroder life, aren't they?"

"I believe so."

"Then do they select for matrimony the cross stitch?"

**THIS IS THE AGE OF YOUTH.**

You will look ten years younger if you darken your ugly, grizzly, gray hairs by using "La Creole" Hair Dressing.—Adv.

When a man tells you he is thinking it over, that means he has decided not to do it.

In the case of great men genius and common sense go hand in hand.

## Paxtine

A Soluble Antiseptic Powder to be dissolved in water as needed For Douches

In the local treatment of woman's sore, such as leucorrhoea and inflammation, hot douches of Paxtine are very efficacious. No woman who has ever used medicated douches will fail to appreciate the clean and healthy condition Paxtine produces and the prompt relief from soreness and discomfort which follows its use. This is because Paxtine possesses superior cleansing, disinfecting and healing properties.

For ten years the Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. has recommended Paxtine in the treatment of private correspondence with women, which proves its superiority. Women who have been relieved say it is "worth its weight in gold." At druggists 50c large box or by mail. Sample free. The Paxton Toilet Co., Boston, Mass.

## BLACK LEG

**PARKE'S HAIR BALM**

A toilet preparation of merit. Restores the hair to its natural color and beauty. For faded hair, restores it to its original color. For itching scalp, soothes and cures. For dandruff, removes it. For dry hair, makes it soft and pliable. For all hair troubles, it is the best. Price 25c per bottle. Sold everywhere.

W. N. U., ST. LOUIS, MO. 45-1015.

## ANURIC!

The Newest Discovery in Chemistry

This is a recent discovery of Doctor Pierce, who is head of the Invalid's Hotel and Surgical Institute at Buffalo, N. Y. Experiments at Dr. Pierce's Hospital for several years proved that there is no other eliminator of uric acid that can be compared to it. For those easily recognized symptoms of inflammation—as backache, scalding urine and frequent urination, as well as sediment in the urine, or if uric acid in the blood has caused rheumatism, it is simply wonderful how surely "Anuric" acts. The best of results are always obtained in cases of acute rheumatism in the joints, in gravel and gout, and invariably the pains and stiffness which so frequently and persistently accompany the disease rapidly disappear.

Go to your nearest drug store and simply ask for a 50-cent package of "Anuric" manufactured by Dr. Pierce, or even write Dr. Pierce for a large trial package (10c). If you suspect kidney or bladder trouble, send him a sample of your water and describe symptoms. Dr. Pierce's chemist will examine it, then Dr. Pierce will report to you without fee or charge.

**NOTE.**—"Anuric" is thirty-seven times more active than lithia in eliminating uric acid and is a harmless, reliable chemical compound that may be safely given to children, but should be used only by grown-ups who actually wish to restore their kidneys to perfect health, by conscientiously using one box—or more in extreme cases—as "Anuric" (thanks to Doctor Pierce's achievement) is by far the most perfect kidney and bladder corrector obtainable.

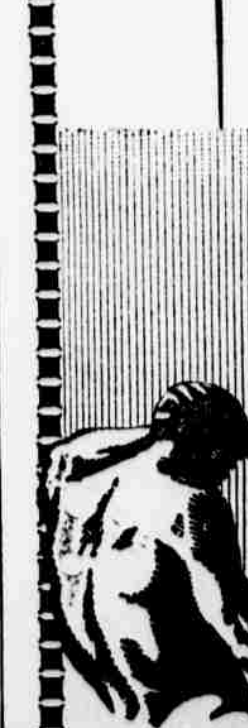
## War upon Pain!

Pain is a visitor to every home and usually it comes quite unexpectedly. But you are prepared for every emergency if you keep a small bottle of Sloan's Liniment handy. It is the greatest pain killer ever discovered.

Simply laid on the skin—no rubbing required—it drives the pain away instantly. It is really wonderful.

**Sloan's Liniment**

for **RHEUMATISM, SPRAINS, SORE MUSCLES**



**10c Worth of DU PONT**

**Will Clear \$1.00 Worth of Land**

Get rid of the stumps and grow big crops on cleared land. Now is the time to clean up your farm while products bring high prices. Blasting is quickest, cheapest and easiest with Low Freezing Du Pont Explosives. They work in cold weather.

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## Medal of Honor Awarded



## The New Perfection Line

The Superior Jury of Awards of the Panama-Pacific Exposition has awarded the New Perfection Line a medal of honor—this being the only line to be so distinguished.

In addition, the NEW PERFECT TION Heater received an individual Gold Medal, as did each of the oil-burning devices bearing the NEW PERFECT TION name.

In all, it was a wonderful triumph—a sweeping tribute to quality.

The quality you should demand when you buy your heater.

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